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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, §1.97-1.98, and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statements filed in the instant application on December 11, 2000 and July 10, 2001, Applicants hereby call the following documents, which were cited in a Korean Office Action, which issued on June 14, 2002 for counterpart Korean Patent Application No. 10-2000-7010450, to the Examiner's attention:

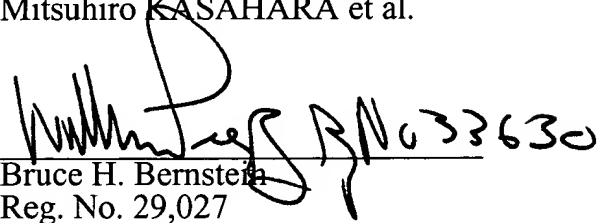
Japanese Laid-Open Patent Publication No. HEI 11-259044, published on September 24, 1999, along with an English language Abstract of the same, and English language counterparts U.S. Patent No. 6,377,232 to CHEVET et al., issued on April 23, 2002, and EP 0 924 684 A1, published on June 23, 1999.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider and cite these documents. Copies of the above-noted patents, as well as a copy of the Korean Office Action, are attached and have been listed on a PTO-1449 Form which is also attached hereto. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached PTO-1449 Form and to return a copy of the form to the Applicants with the next official communication in the present application to confirm consideration of these documents.

Applicants note that an Office Action on the merits has not yet issued in the instant application. However, if an Office Action on the merits has issued, and is crossing in the mail with this statement, the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any fee necessary for the consideration of this statement, including any payment under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p), to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed number.

Respectfully submitted,
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